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In re Application of:)
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Application No.: 08/250,942) Group Art Unit: 2508
Filed: May 31, 1994)
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE) March 5, 2002

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FURTHER STATUS INQUIRY

Sir:

Applicant once again respectfully requests a status report on the above-identified application. A final notice dated March 14, 1998 was received by Applicant and was timely responded to in a "Response to Request for Duplicate of File" dated April 3, 1998, which was received in the Patent and Trademark Office on April 6, 1998. Enclosed with that filing was Applicant's attorneys' complete file of the parent of the above-identified application, being A.N. 07/852,710, filed on March 17, 1992, now abandoned, and the complete file of the above-identified application, i.e., the continuation application A.N. 08/250,942, as concerns correspondence with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Considering how long Applicant has waited for an action in this case, it is requested that a prompt response to this paper be issued.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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